TIRNO-92-C-00014 Incurred Costs Audit Fiscal Year 1998

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SUBJECT: TIRNO-92-C-00014: Incurred Costs Audit - Fiscal Year 1998

The Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA) audited the contractor's Systems Integration Group, Government Information Systems Division's June 30, 1999 certified final indirect cost rate proposal and related books and records for reimbursement of Fiscal Year (FY) 1998 incurred costs. The purpose of the audit was to determine allowability of direct costs and indirect cost rates and recommend procurement determined indirect cost rates for December 27, 1997 through January 1, 1999. The proposed rates apply primarily to flexibility-priced contracts.

The DCAA considered the contractor's FY 1998 accounting system adequate for accumulation, reporting, and billing costs on government contracts/subcontracts. However, DCAA qualified its opinion to the extent that subcontract costs claimed may be questioned as a result of the audits of subcontractor incurred cost submissions. In summary, DCAA made a General and Administrative (G&A) base adjustment for exclusion of the Non-Contract Support Authorization costs from the G&A Value Added Base.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 622-6510 or Maurice S. Moody, Assistant Inspector General for Audit (Headquarters Operations and Exempt Organizations Programs), at (202) 622-8500.

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